

ATTENTION!! URGENT!! ATTENTION!!

Please be advised that after June 6, 2006 no new tenant recertification data will be posted in TASS for PHA households. This means that the SS/SSI income data for households due for recertification in October 2006 (and subsequent months) will not be available in TASS.

In March 2006, TASS functionality was incorporated into the Enterprise Income Verification (EIV) System. **After the September 22, 2006 EIV Release, all access to the TASS system will be terminated.**

The EIV system is available to all TASS users nationwide and now makes integrated income data available from one source, via the Internet. The EIV system provides the following data:

- Monthly employer new hires,
- Quarterly wages and unemployment compensation, **and**
- Monthly social security and supplemental security income benefits.

Additional information regarding the EIV system can be found on:

<http://www.hud.gov/offices/pih/programs/ph/rhiip/uivsystem.cfm>

For access, please see your EIV User Administrator.

Questions and Answers:

(1) Question: What PHA tenant data will be available in TASS after the June 6, 2006 posting of October 2006 recertifications?

Answer: The tenant SS/SSI income data for the following recertification months will still be available: June 2006, July 2006, August 2006, and September 2006. This data will be rolled off on a phased basis. That means that in July 2006, users will be able to access tenant data for July 2006, August 2006, and September 2006 recertifications. In August 2006, users will be able to access tenant data for August 2006 and September 2006 recertifications. On September 22, 2006, all access to TASS will be terminated.

(2) Question: What will PHA users see in TASS if they try to access October 2006 recertification data?

Answer: Because no October 2006 recertification data will be available, the PHA users will see record counts of zero (0) for all report types. See the screen shot below as an example.

The screenshot shows the 'tenant assessment subsystem' interface. On the left is a red sidebar with navigation links: home, benefit history reports (by household, by pha, by fha contract, by fha project), management reports (by pha), resources (help, TASS User Guide, download html scissors, about income verification, reac, hud home, data definition, download Adobe Acrobat, contact us, SVES manual), secure systems main menu, and logout. The main content area has a red header with the title 'tenant assessment subsystem' and the date 'April 27, 2006'. Below the header is a breadcrumb trail: 'Home > Monthly Reports > Monthly Reports by PHA'. A 'help' link is in the top right. The main section is titled 'Monthly Reports by PHA' and contains a form with fields for 'Enter PHA:' (TX008), 'Select Program:' (All PIH Programs), and 'Select Recertification Month:' (October, 2006), with a 'Go' button. Below this is a 'Monthly Reports Summary' table showing the selected criteria. At the bottom is a table with report types and their counts. At the very bottom right are links for 'Back to Top' and 'Privacy Statement'.

tenant assessment subsystem

April 27, 2006

Home > Monthly Reports > Monthly Reports by PHA

help

Monthly Reports by PHA

Enter PHA: TX008

Select Program: All PIH Programs

Select Recertification Month: October, 2006 Go

Monthly Reports Summary

PHA	'TX008'	
Program	All PIH Programs	
Re-certification Month	October, 2006	

Report Type	Number of Households	Number of Members
Benefit History Reports	0	0
Income Discrepancy Reports	0	0
Error Reports	0	0
No Benefit Reports	0	0

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Privacy Statement

(3) Question: Will the download Benefit History Report feature in TASS still be available to users in EIV after the September 22, 2006 release?

Answer: No, this functionality will not be available in EIV online.

(4) Question: How do users access the EIV system?

Answer: EIV is accessible via HUD's Secure System environment. Information on obtaining user access to EIV is available on the EIV website (<http://www.hud.gov/offices/pih/programs/ph/rhiip/uivsystem.cfm>). EIV is currently available to all PIH users.

The Secure Systems website for internal HUD users is: <https://www11.hud.gov/ssmaster>.

The Secure Systems website for external PHA users is: https://www11.hud.gov/hud_systems.